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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Office of the Commissioner for Trademarks 2900 Crystal Drive Arlington, Virginia 22202-3513

To The Assistant Commissioner for Trademarks:

VeriSign, Inc., by its undersigned attorneys, hereby requests a 60 day extension of time pursuant to Section 13 of the Trademark Act of 1946, as amended (15 U.S.C. § 1063), and Trademark Rule 2.102 (c) (37 C.F.R. § 2.102; TBMP §§ 202 et seq.), in which to file an opposition to the above-referenced application. This additional time is needed in order to assess this matter thoroughly to determine whether an opposition is warranted.

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A grant of this request would extend the filing deadline to August 11, 2003.

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